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RICHMOND IS DISAPPOINTED

Army Engineers Oppose Further Improvement on James River

$6,000,000 THE COST

Virginia Capital Wanted 22-Foot Channel to Sea—Project Started 30 Years Ago

Washington, May 16.—Plans of the city of Richmond to have the Federal Government develop the James River so that small ocean-going coastwise vessels may dock at Virginia's capital received a hard blow yesterday afternoon when the army engineers transmitted to Congress a report, recommending the abandonment of work on the proposed 22-foot channel from Richmond to the Sea.

Richmond for years has been trying to revive her ante-bellum coastwise shipping. In those days vessels from Baltimore, Boston, New York, Wilmington, N. C., Savannah and Charleston loaded and unloaded cargoes at the Virginia capital. Ships engaged in foreign trade frequently called for cargoes of tobacco. Therefore, the Richmond business men have told the Rivers and Harbors Committee of Congress that with a deep channel in the James river the city can be developed as a great inland port. They advocated the early completion of the proposed 22-foot channel authorized by Congress in 1884 and authority to dredge a 25-foot channel from Richmond to the sea.

The ambitious project of the Richmond people was to have cost $6,000,000. Approximately $2,500,000 has been spent in deepening the channel to 18 feet. During the last 10 years the work has practically stopped in spite of the efforts of Virginia's delegation in Congress, When Representative Montague came to Congress he determined to compel the army engineers to complete the 22-foot channel authorized more than 30 years ago. He brought the question before Congress, with the result that former Senator Burton, of Ohio, when he made his celebrated filisbuster against the River and Harbor bill in 1914, picked out the James river project as one of the many objects for attack. Since that time Congress has made lump-sum appropriations for river and harbor work and the army engineers, in making allotments of this money, left out the James river. In the present River and Harbor bill, which has passed the House, Representative Montague succeeded in getting a $190,000 appropriation for pushing work on the channel, which was about $100,000 larger than the army engineers recommended.

For the last 10 years Congress had been appropriating annually only $100,000 a year for work on the James river. At that rate, the army engineers stated that it would take a quarter of a century to complete the 22-foot depth. They therefore declared they regarded it as useless undertaking to try to dredge a deep channel from Richmond to the sea with the small driblets of money which Congress has been alowing for that work.

The army engineers submitted their report to response to the Burton amendment to the Rivers and Harbors bill, approved March 3, 1915. This amendment directed that a re-examination of certain rivers and harbors be made, to determine whether or not the Government shall carry out the original authorized plans.

In this report the engineers recommend that $450,000 be appropriated in two annual instalments for the purpose of widening the turning basin at Richmond to 400 feet and to increase the channel width at City Point to 400 feet.

Richmond has a water-borne commerce valued at $30,000,000. It has been gradually decreasing for 25 years, and this is the primary reason which caused the army engineers to veto the expenditure of $3,000,000 more on the river channel, holding that the railroads from Richmond to Norfolk and Newport News gave the city an outlet for its ocean going traffic.

FOURTEEN KILLED IN BLAST

Explosion at Repauno Plant of the du Pont Powder Co. Wrecks Four Buildings.

Gibbstown, N. J., May 16.— At least 14 men were killed and about 30 injured yesterday in a terrific explosion at the Rapauno plant of the du Pont Powder Company, neat here. The blast occurred in the building in which trinitrotoluol is manufactured and wrecked that structure and three others.

The cause of the explosion is not known, and, according to officials of the company, may never be ascertained, as all of those believed to have been in the building where the first explosion occurred are dead.

BOTH BODIES ARE FOUND

Faces of Aviators Burned By Explosion on Hydroplane Last Thursday Morning.

The bodies of Louis Crants and Charles A. Good, the two aviators who were drowned on Thursday when the big Curtis hydro-aeroplane, H-10 fell into the Potomac, will be sent to their homes tonight. Crants' body will go to Hammonsport, New York, and Goods' to Elyria, Ohio. Captain Thomas S. Baldwin, president of the Atlantic Coast Aeronautical Station, Newport News, arrived here this morning and made arrangements for forwarding the remains.

Both bodies were badly decomposed from having been in the water for five days and the faces were burned from the gasoline flames which were ignited when the explosion took place.

The first body was found by George Pettit and Charles Williams shortly after noon yesterday near White House Landing, on the Virginia side of the river, nine miles south of Alexandria. They were fishing from a small boat when they saw the body floating.

The second body was recovered at 3 o'clock by Mathew Johnson, colored keeper of a light for the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Co., at White House Landing.

The bodies were brought to Wheatley's undertaking establishment of this city. Justice of the Peace Harrie White of Fairfax county was notified, but deemed an inques unnecessary.

LEAVE FOR GREAT COUNCIL

Representatives of the two tribes of Red Men of Alexandria Osceola No. 1, and Seminole, No. 35, left this morning for Lynchburg where they will attend the sessions of the great council of Virginia. The official delegates of the tribes were A. J. Butcher, past sachem of Osceola and H. H. Newton, past sachem of Seminole. Roger C. Sullivan of this city, great junior sagamore, is also in attendance.

SECOND WEEK OF REVIVAL

The Rev. J. R. Esaias, of Washington, preached the sermon at the opening of the second week of revival services of Trinity M. E. Church last night. Tonight the Rev. G. A. Luttrell, former pastor of the church will preach, and the pulpit will be filled during the remainder of the week by the following clergymen: Wednesday night, Rev. E. C. Powers, Tenley, D. C.; Thursday night, Rev. C. F. Noss, Jr., Arlington; Friday, Rev. H. F. Downs, Washington.

HUNTING STOLEN SUITCASE.

Baltimore detectives are looking for a suitcase containing clothing and jewelry, valued at $75, which was stolen from an automobile standing near the Hotel Belvedere Sunday night. The suitcase is the property of W. E. Huger, a student of the Episcopal High School near this city. He was at the hotel with a number of friends and when he left discovered the suitcase had been taken.

CONCERT
By the
Choir of St. Paul's Church
Tuesday Evening, May 23, 1916
8 o'clock
In The Norton Memorial
Tickets ..... Thirty-five cents.
Can be obtained at Allen's and from members of Choir.

WEARERS OF GRAY AT BIRMINGHAM

Fifteen Thousand Former Confederates Meet at Reunion

HEARTILY WELCOMED

Decided Opposition Manifested to Suggestion That This May be Last Gathering

Birmingham, Ala, May 16—Sentiment among the thousands of Confederate Veterans who arrived here yesterday for their twenty-sixth annual reunion, which opened today seemed distinctly opposed to the suggestion that this might be the last gathering of its kind, and bidding for the reunion next years has already become spirited.

"Welcome meetings" were held by the United Sons of Confederate Veterans and the Confederate Sons' Memorial Association, nearly forty special trains having arrived with visitors within the past twenty-four hours. Most of the twenty bands which reached here in the course of the day were immediately pressed into service to assert the claims of the various cities seeking the next reunion. Memphis, Tenn., and Tulsa, Okla., are the leading rivals, and it is believed that Washington, D. C., will be a contender later.

General Bennett H. Young, of Louisville, Ky., commander-in-chief of the Veterans, who with his staff arrived early in the dayfi declared he is not an active candidate for re-election. General George P. Harrison, commander-in-chief of the Alabama delegates of the Army of the South, is the most outspoken as the successor of General Young.

Governor Henderson, of Alabama; Mayor Ward, of this city, and Major W. J. Behan, president- general of the Confederate Southern Memorial Association, welcomed the visitors at an afternoon meeting yesterday. Greetings also were given by General Young, W. N. Brandon, of Arkansas, commander-in-chief of the Sons of Veterans, and Mrs. Frank G. Odenheim, president-general of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Birmingham was prepared to care fore the largest number of visitors in its history. Every effort has been made to provide for the comfort of the old soldiers. In addition to the thousands of tents spread out over the big fair grounds, hundreds of private homes have been thrown open to them.

Numerous social functions will be given in honor of the veterans and visitors. The concluding feature of the three day encampment will be a big ball.

A movement is on to name Montgomery, "the cradle of the Confederacy", as the city in which the last of the reunions shall be held whether next year or later. Citizens of that city are behind the movement, which is an outgrowth of the suggestion that the present reunion may be the last to be held.

The sessions of the reunion were held in the Bijou Theatre, commencing at 10 oclock this morning. Richard W. Massey, chairman of the local entertainment committee called the gathering to order, and Rev. J. W. Bachman, chaplain-general of the vetrans, delivered the invocation. General John G. Smith, commander of the Fourth Alabama Brigade, representing the Birmingham veterans, delivered the opening address. President George B. Ward, city commissioner responded for the city; K. W. Bush, president, for the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce; J. Asa Rountree, in behalf of the sons of Confederate Veterans; Mrs. Chappell Cory, in behalf of the United Daughters of the Confederacy; Charles Henderson, Governor, in behalf of the State of Alabama, and General George P. Henderson, commander of the Army of Tennessee, in behalf of Confederate veterans.

Robert A. Brown, chairman of the general local committee, was introduced, and he in turn turned the convention over to General Bennett H. Young, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, who delivered the response to the addresses of welcome. Committee were than appointed. Patrotic music was rendered during the opening session.

In the afternoon the feature will be an address by John T. Goolrick, of Fredericksburg, Va., on "Confederate Soldiers," and a play by R. C. Rogers.

In the evening the annual oration will be delivered by Irvin S. Cobb, author and newspaper man ,and the official sponsors and maids will be presented.

The banquet in honor of the president-general of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will be held at the Southern Club, and the ball of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans will be given in the Hippodrome.

LOCAL BOARD OF REVIEW

Will Meet and Organize During Week and Meet Commissioner of Revenue.

The local board of review on taxation will meet and organize during the week, at which time the Commissioner of the Revenue will be requested to appear, make recommendations and inform the board how the taxation laws are being complied with. It is understood that the merchants have been paying state taxes much faster than formerly, and that returns for taxation are larger this year than last. It is understood that at the coming session the board will review not only assesscents of personalty or intangible property, where present assessments are unsatisfactory, but also review unsatisfactory real estate assessments. It is generaiiy understood that the state in contest will probably have present a representative of the Attorney General's office to represent the Commonweaith, who will appear as counsel for the State. He will doubtless insist on full valuations where it is supposed there have been undervaluations, that is in cases brought to his attention.

Among the new laws which become operative June 1, 1916, is one which compels every merchant to keep a list of his purchases. In default he will not only be compelled to pay the proper license tax, but will be fined not less than $25.

While business and profffional men are paying more promptly than usual, the Commissioner of the Revenue desires delinquents to pay up as soon as possible, as he is compelled to make two reports a year to the local board of review, and the State Auditor informs him that license matters will be inquired into by his department, and a state representative be sent here to make inquiries.

LOCAL BREVITIES

The regular meeting of the Reliance Engine Company will be held tonight at 8 o'clock.

Martin M. Lollo, 44 years old, of Alexandria, while loading glass in a car at the Anacostia freight yards yesterday afternoon, fell on a piece of broken glass, cutting his head. He was taken to the Casualty Hospital.

Large boiling rock, pan rock, Potomac bass, salt water trout, roe shad, buck shad, white perch and herring, will be for sale all week by Geo. E. Price, City Market, Phone 321J.

The Rev. Father Michael Galleher, of Washington, will make an address at the ladies' night of the Holy Name Society at the Lyceum tomorrow night. The Holy Name Society Band will furnish the music.

Atttention is invited to the notice of the concert to be given by the Choir of St. Paul's Church one week from tonight. These entertainments are always greatly enjoyed by the music loving public of Alexandria Tickets can be obtained at Allen's and from members of the choir.

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Benefit of
Cardinal Athletic Club
Odd fellows' Hall
WEDNESDAY MAY 17, 1916
8:30 p. m. Tickets 50 cents

GAZETTE One Week 10c

REPUBLICANS LOOK TO HUGHES

Demand For Jurist as Presidential Nominee Increasing

COLONEL'S TIDE EBBS

Former President Counted as Having Talked Himself Out of Chances of Nomination

Washington, May 16—Sentiment in Republican politics is definitely crystallizing behind the movement to nominate Associate Justice Charles E. Hughes for the Presidency at Chicago. Only the rankest partisanship could be blind to this fact.

From practically every section of the country the demand is growing for the return of the jurist to active politics, and if the demand gains in volume during the few remaining days of the preconvention campaign as it has during the past six weeks it is apparent that only two circumstances can prevent Mr. Hughes nomination -the opposition of Roosevelt or the flat refusal of the New Yorker to accept the first place on the ticket, if it is offered him.

Justice Hughes has never made any declaration to the effect that he would not accept the nomination, and his friends feel that he will never make it. They believe that he will take the nomination if it comes to him without his seeking.

This shouting for Hughes proceeds from no enthusiasm for the man from no magnetism of his personality from no understanding of the things for which he may stand. It proceeds solely from the conviction that he could come nearer defeating Woodrow Wilson than could any other living Republican. That is the whole story.

The belief prevails among average party men that the Bull Moose, as a body, could not deny their support to Hughes; that Roosevelt himself would be compelled to go along, and that, with the old organization again united behind a man whose record is on straight, party success in November would be a foregone conclusion. This is the line of reasoning which has suddenly given Hughes the leading position in the fight.

His supporters are reminding Republicans everywhere, it might be added, that the German voters opposed to Wilson would be solidly for Hughes; that the Irish vote opposed to Wilson would of course be for the ticket, and that the Progressives could find nothing in the jurist to kick against. They are saying that Hughes has a record of progressive achievement, whereas Roosevelt has only a record of progressive shouting.

iven all these elements of strength it would seem that Justice Hughes would be the ideal candidate, and that no question need arise as to his nomination. But it so happens that the selection of Mr. Hughes means the elimination of Theodore Roosevelt —a circumstance which must be taken into profound consideration.

Roosevelt is himself a candidate for the nomination. Three months ago it looked as if he would capture the convention. The tide was so set in his favor that it seemed impossible for any man or group of men to head it off. But that was three months ago. Since then Roosevelt has done much talking. It has been heroic talking. It has breathed war. It has been a challenge directed at every interest that has sought peace with Europe or peace with Mexico. It has been just one sledge-hammer attack after another upon the processes where by President Wilson has sought to maintain friendly relations with the German government on the one hand and the Mexican de facto regime on the other.

This militant attitude on the part States are for peace on any honorable terms, and they are against any man who would precipitate them into war as long as war may be honorably avoided. The decline of the Roosevelt Presidential boom began with his "heroic" statement issued from Trinidad. Each successive utterance from him since that time has further contracted this campaign. In other words, it now looks like Roosevelt has absolutely talked himself out of the Republican nomination.

This does not mean, however, that the former President is no longer a factor. He has behind him a handmade political party which will do his bidding.

Roosevelt himself may be unable to land the Republican nomination, but he is still in a position to dictate the name of the nominee.

FEAST OF THE SEVEN TABLES
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The Ladies' Aid
Of the Second Presbyterian Church
Thursday, May 18, 1916
Tickets ..... 25 Cents

DEATH OF OLD RESIDENT

Peter Aitcheson Passes Away at His Residence on Duke St, Early Last Night.

Peter Aitcheson, senior member of the firm of Aitcheson and Bro. lumber dealers and manufacturers, died at 8:30 o'clock last night on the seventy fifth anniversary of his birth. He has been in failing health for some months and has been confined to his bed recently. Mr. Aitcheson was born in Greenock, Scotland and has been a resident of Alexandria for the past half a century. Beside his widow he is survived by two sons, Frank Aitcheson, of Philadelphia, and Donald Lee Aitcheson, assistant post master of this city. Three sisters and five brothers also survive him as follows: Mrs. Noble Lindsey, Mrs. John T. Johnson, Miss Margaret Aitcheson, DeWilton Aitcheson, Robert P. Aitcheson, John Aitcheson, Harry Aitcheson and Albert Aitcheson.

The deceased in his early life was associated with his father in the mill and lumber business, occupying the building on the west side of Union Street, near Duke, which was the last house used by the late Stephen Shinn as a grocery and ship chandelry at the time the civil war was breaking out. After the death of his father the deceased and his brother, R. P. Aitcheson conducted this place. By close attention to business the Aitcheson mill and lumber yards soon became one of Alexandrias institutions. The plant was destroyed by fire last year, but is being rebuilt.

Mr. Aitcheson was a member of Andrew Jackson Lodge of Masons, Mt. Vernon Chapter and Old Dominion Commandery Knights Templar. For several years he represented the First ward in the Common Council, and his conservative and practical course made him a useful member of that body.

His funeral will take place from his late residence, 411 Duke Street tomorrow afternoon at 4 p. m.

MASONIC NOTICE.

A called meeting of Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120, A. F. and A. M., will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brothers, Charles Mankin and Peter Aitcheson.

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FRENCH MAKE BOLD THRUSTS

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RESUME OFFENSIVE

Berlin Reports That British Have Been Driven Back After Failure to Retake Trenches

London, May 16. — The French troops about Verdun resumed the offensive yesterday and report in an unexpected thrust having forced the Germans to evacuate more than 200 yards of trenches on the heights of the Meuse.

Aside from this action the Crown Prince's infantry had a rest yesterday, but the German guns continued to smash away at the French positions on Hill 304, apparently in preparation for another assault on the line west of the Meuse.

Official reports giving the details of the fighting on the west front follow:

"Midnight official; In Champagne this morning's bombardment by the Germans of the region known as Mesnil-Maisons de Champagne was followed by several simultaneous attacks with weak forces against different points of our front. All these attacks were stopped by our barrage fire or were repulsed by our counter-attacks. They were entirely fruitless.

"In the Verdun region there was an intermittent bombardment against our first and second lines to the west of the Meuse. On the heights of the Meuse, after preparation by our artillery, we launched a surprise attack which was completely successful. Our patrols cleaned out the German trenches on a front of about 200 meters and brought back some prisoners. Our artillery bombarded some German detachments which signalled as passing along the road from Essey to Pannes, southwest of Thiaucourt."

Berlin, May 16.—The British have been attacking the German lines near Hulluch, in Northern France, in an effort to recapture the trenches recently taken by the Germans there, but all their attempts have been repulsed, according to yesterday's statement by the War Office.

In the Verdun region the French failed in attacks near Dead Man Hill and near the Caillete wood.

COLLAPSE OF CAFE

Nine Persons Crushed To Death and Twenty-Six Injured

Akron, Ohio, May 16—Nine persons were crushed to death and twenty six were injured, many probably fatally, last night in the collapse of the Crystal Restaurant Building, filled with diners, at Main and Quarry streets.

A blast of dynamite in the excavation for a new building adjoining the restaurant caused the collapse.

So dense was the crowd around the scene of the wreck last night that Company B, Field Artillery, Ohio National Guard, was called out and aided the police in holding the people back so that the rescuers could work. It is estimated 15,000 people packed Main and Quarry streets.

A blast of dynamite set off in an excavation for a new building directly north of the restaurant unsettled the foundation. The restaurant was a one-story structure, with a two story false front, and the latter, toppling backward, added a weight of many tons to the falling roof.

The crash came at 6:10, when the restaurant was crowded. So suddenly did thebuilding cave in and the wall crumble that those who were not instantly killed were rendered unconscious.

A figure, bleeding from cuts on her face, her hair and clothing disheveled, rose from the wreck. It was Mrs. William C. Lawson, who escaped strangely from the table where she and her husband and their 8-year-old daughter, Mary, were dining together.

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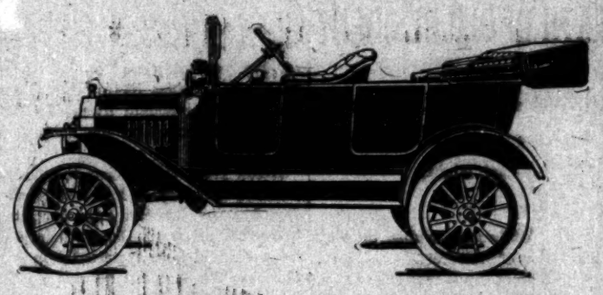

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Mr. Allan Roberts entertained at a delightful dance last Saturday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts, in Duke street extended. Among his guests were Miss Collins Jones, Mr. Charles C. Carlin, jr., Miss Lucy Anderson, Mr. Brouse Burke, Miss Sarah Cox, Mr. Thomas L. Wattles, Miss Sarah Kemper, Mr. Waller Barrett, Miss Nina Fulton, Mr. John M. Leadbeater, Miss Elizabeth Tyree, of Washington, Mr. Chester Pierce, Miss Zelma Tyree, of Washington; Mr. Edwin Pierce, Miss Hilda Schneider, Mr. Lawrence Fawcett, Miss Elsie Brown, of Washington; Mr. Tupper Barrett, Miss Prescott, of Washington; Mr. Ferguson Bryan, Miss Marie Gasson, Mr. Gardner L. Boothe, II., Miss Isobel Boswell, Mr. Albert V. Bryan, Miss Carol Leadbeater, Mr. Frank Johnston, Miss Charlotte Kemper, Mr. Johnson McGuire, Miss Ruth Lawton, Mr. Miller Lawton, both of Washington, Miss Mary Hunt Roberts, Mr. Charles Stone, of Washington, Miss Hazel Jones, Mr. Stuart Shields, of Richmond, Miss Katherine Elliott, and Mr. Robert Elliott.

A. G. Uhler, elder of the Second Presbyterian Church, left today for Orlando, Fla., where the General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church will meet. Mr. Uhler was selected as commissioner elder to represent the Presbytery of the Potomac and the Rev. W. W. Shaw, of Mt. Washington, Md. was selected ministerial commissioner.

DEATH OF CHARLES MANKIN.

One of Youngest Railway Engineers On Southern Railway Dies.

Charles Mankin, 34 years old, one of the youngest engineers of the Southern Railway Co., died at 7:30 o'clock last night at the residence of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mankin, 210 north Patrick street. He has been in declining health for several years.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Julia Mankin, and by two children, Charles and Margaret. Three [illegible] ers also survive him [illegible] and Ernest Mankin. He was a member of Andrew Jackson Lodge No. 120, A. F. and A. M. and Lodge, 317 of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

His funeral wil take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from 210 north Patrick street and will be conducted by the Rev. J. W. Duffey, D. D. pastor of the Washington Street M. E. Church South. A called meeting of Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120 will be held at Masonic Temple at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow to make arrangements to attend his funeral.

TUPPER BARRETT IN THE NAVY

Young Alexandrian Passes Entrance Examination to Naval Academy

Secretary of the Navy Daniels made public yesterday the names of the candidates for the Naval Academy at Annapolis who succeeded in passing the mental examination for entrance to that institution. In the list is T. Tupper Barrett, of this city, son of Robert S. Barrett, editor of the Alexandria Gazette. Mr. Barrett was appointed by Senator Claude S. Swanson, one of the first appointees to be made under the act of congress increasing the number of the cadets. He is 16 years old and will be one of the youngest cadets in the academy which he will enter in June.

WILL REPAIR EVERGLADES.

The houseboat Everglades, belonging to Col. R. M. Thompson, of Washington, will be towed from her present moorings at Alexandria, to New York, where she will be rebuilt and equipped. The hull of the Everglades escaped unharmed from the fire which completely gutted her, and she is to be restored to her former beauty. She begins her journey probably this week.

SUDDEN DEATH

Marshall Dinwiddie, 70 years old, father of M. L. Dinwiddie, assistant cashier of the Citizens' National Bank this city, died suddenly at the home of his daughter in Abington last night. The deceased was a brother of the late Rev. William Dinwiddie, who was pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church in this city from 1874 to 1887. He often visited Alexandria and spent the last winter here.

VISITORS TO MT VERNON

Governor and Lieutenant Governor Were Unable to Accompany Board Today.

The annual visitation of the board of visitors of Mt. Vernon was made today and the board was received by the regents who are holding their annual meeting at the home of Washington. The board which is appointed by Gov. Stuart of Virginia is made up of the following: William H. White, of Richmond, Thomas S. Winston of Richmond, Fred D. Miller of Richmond, A. D. Chandler, jr., of Fredericksburg and Albert D. Brockett of this city. The members were accompanied by their wives. The local arrangements were made by Mr. Brockett of this city.

Much to the regret of the members of the board Governor Stuart and Lieutenant Governor Ellyson were unable to be present. Governor Stuart was called to Henry county today to fill a previous engagement.

At Mount Vernon the visitors were met by Superintendent H. H. Dodge and shown the buildings and grounds after which they were entertained at luncheon by the regents. They held their annual meeting this afternoon and will make a report to the governor of conditions at Mt. Vernon.

SLAYS ALIENATED WIFE

Then Her Mother Prevents Suicide of the Murderer.

Pittsburgh, May 16.—"If I can't have you, no one else will," exclaimed Willam H. Ernest, 24 to his wife, of 20 in their home in Estella street Sunday night, at the same time drawing a revolver and firing five shots at her. She fell dead.

Ernst, with one bullet left, turned the weapon toward his head; but his mother-in-law, who had seen her daughter killed, seized his arm and begged him not take his life. He tossed the revolver to the floor and waited for the police to be notified.

As Ernst was entering the police patrol, his wife's mother, Mrs. Amelia Walsh, again embraced him. Ernst and his wife were estranged, and it is said that Mrs. Ernst contemplated divorce proceedings.

MISTAKEN FOR A BURGLAR

Mr. James Landon, returning with Mr. Bob Grey to the latter's home at two o'clock in the morning from a business trip through the West, was mistaken for a burglar and tied to a chair by the negro butler, pending the arrival of a "police officerman." See the outcome in "The Time of His Life,'" a three act comedy to be presented by the Phi Mu Sigma Fraternity on Friday, May 19, at the Young People's Building, See this and it will be the time of your life.

The Senate yesterday afternoon, by a vote of 42 to 36, rejected the nomination of George Rublee, of New York and New Hampshire, named by President Wilson as a member of the Federal Trade Commission.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late Margaret G. Ross, all persons owing her estate will please settle with the undersigned and all persons to whom the estate is indebted will present their bills duly authenticated.

16.3t. THOMAS A. ROSS, Administrator, 1025 King St.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Alexandria, Va., May 16.

On and after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Madeline Gallahan.

W. B. GALLAHAN.

DEATH NOTICE

AITCHESON—Died, Monday May 15 at 8:30 p. m. at his home, 411 Duke street, PETER AITCHESON, 75 years old. Funeral from his late residence Wednesday, May 17th., 4 p. m. Friends and relatives invited. Interment private.

MANKIN—At the residence of his parents, 210 north Patrick street, May 15th., 1916, at 7:30 p. m., CHARLES MANKIN. Funeral from residence on Wednesday, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

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ELECTION OF OFFICERS

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F. W. Ebhardt, assistant superintendent.

Mrs. Charles Jett, superintendent primary department.

Norman Roberts, superintendent, cradle roll.

Mrs. J. Glasgow, superintendent home department.

Mrs. Robert L. Wright, superintendent field department.

Thomas Simpson, secretary.

Norman Roberts, assistant secretary.

Charles Kell, treasurer.

F. W. Ebhardt, secretary of Officers and Teachers Association.

Miss Flora Glasgow ,pianist.

Miss Bessie Ross and Mrs. H. H. Newton, assistant pianists.

The reports of the officers showed that the Sunday school is in a flourishing condition. The Sunday school picnic will be held Tuesday, June 27, at Hume Grove.

CONTEST FOR MAY QUEEN

The contest for the May Queen has begun and the following names are the ones voted for at the close of the first day:

Marion Dienelt 75; Techla Driefus, 71; Rosa Fuller, 70; Rosa Murphy 30;Nancy King, 16; Ellen Bruin, 10; Dorothy Steele, 8; Virginia Steele, 8; Nancy Wattles, 8; Sophia DeBeck, 5; Nannie Ballenger 5; Louise Carlin, 3; Lillie Cradlin, 3; Carroll Johnson, 3; Helen Myer, 3; Frances Cox, 3; Frances Schwarzmann, 3; Charlotte Kemper, 3; Lillian Hall, 3; Inez Moore, 3; Thelma Bender, 3; Reba Dameron, 2; Annie Moore, 2; Virginia Bladen, 2; Augusta Bode, 2; Gertrude Stout, 2; Dorothy Padgett, 2; Irma Wade 2; Rozena Howell, 2; Josephine Gregg, 2; Delilah Spencer, 2; Ilah Reed, 2; Beulah Sullivan, 2; Elizabeth Bryan, 2; Thelma Lunsford, 1; Ruth Rudd, 1; Thelma Blumenfield, 1; Dorothy Morton, 1; Catherine Reardon, 1; Hilda Noonan, 1; Sarah Rosenberg, 1; Luela Stout, 1; Frances Finks, 1; Margaret Garry, 1; Cecelia Ballenger, 1; Frances Barnhouse, 1; Florence Evans, 1; Thelma Wade, 1; Edmonia Baker, 1; Marion Blunt, 1; Mildred Crupper, 1; Eva Loeb, 1; Esther Ballenger, 1; May Rose Dove, 1; Josephine Duffey, 1; Inez Feagans, 1; Ida Goodloe, 1; Dora Lyles, 1; Susie Simms, 1; Louise Thomas, 1; Louise Anderson, 1; Margaret Underwood, 1; Nellie Michelbach, 1; Annie Sorrel, 1;

BIG BAPTIST CONVENTION

Rev. E. B. Jackson Leaves Tonight For Asheville, N. C.

The Rev. Eugene B. Jackson, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, will leave tonight for Asheville, N. C., where he will attend the annual convention of the Southern Baptists. This is prebable the largest Baptist convention in the world and there will be present 2,500 delegates and 500 women delegates to the various women societies of the church.

Dr. Jackson will be accompanied by Mrs. Jackson who will visit a sister near Asheville. They will return next week.

BOX CARS BURNED

Southern Railway Lose 13 Cars in Fire Last Night.

Another mysterious fire in the yards of the Southern Railway caused the destruction of 13 box cars at 11 o'clock last night. The cars which were in bad order and waiting transfer to one of the Southern's shops were stored on a siding near the plant of the Virginia Glass Works. The city fire department responded to the alarm but before the fire was extinguished 13 cars were destroyed. They were valued $250 each and were insured.

DANGEROUS NEGRO CAUGHT.

William Thomas, a negro with a long police record, who is wanted for a number of robberies, among them that of Sands and Co., William Bander and Sons, Dreifus and Sons, and others was brought to Alexandria today from Washington by Sergeant Scott and officers Bell and Kerns. The man has been serving a term in the District jail. When brought into police court he feigned insanity and is being held pending a hearing

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GERMANY'S APPEAL.

The people of Germany are experiencing what the southern country was compelled to face during the war between the states—deprivation of all luxuries as well as many necessaries of life—by reason of a strict blockade. Those of us who passed through the dismal days in our own land know how to sympathize with other members of the race when they are put upon short rations. The Gazette a few days ago, while expressing sympathy for the besieged Teutons, recalled the fact that over forty years ago their souls also went out to the Parisians who were forced to slaughter animals in the Zoo and to eat cats, dogs and rats while the German cordon of steel was around the French capital. They were eventually starved into capitulation.

Germany is now appealing to the civilized world in her distress. But we must suppose that our Teutonic friends were familiar with the observation of the late General Sherman concerning war. The Lynchburg News in commenting upon present conditions in the Fatherland says:

Apropos of Germany's plaint over the British blockade of German ports cutting off Germany's food supplies, which Germany claims is contrary to the laws of nations, some persons with long memories or who read history carefully, are reminding Germany that in 1870-71, when Germany had Paris surrounded, it refused to permit a single morsel of food to be shipped into the beleaguered city, forcing babies to starve by the thousands, and the people to eat rats and dogs and cats, which were bought at high prices for food. The Germans at that time were not so deeply affected at sight of starving babies as they are now, and they thought it perfectly legitimate to starve people into submission, and as a matter of fact, that is about the most humane way of bringing people to terms. It is far better than shooting their houses and themselves to pieces, and generally devastating the country. So the Germans seemed to think in the seventies, but today they take a different view of it; they think or affect to think, that the British, by cutting off Germany's food supplies, are acting in the most cruel manner; whereas, they can put a stop to it any day by accepting the terms of their adversaries and thus ending the war.

Is there a sensible man anywhere who believes if the Germans had the better fleet and Great Britain was blockaded, Germany would permit a morsal of food to reach the inhabitants of Britain that Germany could keep out, until Britain agreed to submit to the most humiliating terms of surrender?

It is thus seen that Germany's cry is not an honest cry, but is simply an effort to arouse sympathy among neutral countries and prejudices against Great Britain. Germany especially sees how soft the people of the United States are, anyhow, going about all over the world trying to feed the millions of people the Germans have reduced to starvation, and they do not see why some of this sympathy may not be expended on them. But Americans can discriminate, and do discriminate in this case. They feel deep sympathy with the babies, the old people, the sick and the helpless in Germany, but at the same time, they feel that Germany should be the first to sympathize with them, and to stop the practices and the war that have brought starvation and sorrow to these people. Germany can end all the sorrow any day she is willing to end it.

PEACE TALK IS GROWING

Dispatches today from Berlin and Paris are significant. There is every reason to believe that the fearful conflagration which has raged in Europe nearly two years is about to burn itself out for want of fuel. Men are becoming scarcer, while financial conditions are of a nature to cause the belligerents to stop, look and listen. But each warring nation is waiting for the receipt of overtures, neither believing it is defeated nor that its plans have miscarried. The German people prefer to believe that they won the great war, while the allies are equally confident they should be acclaimed the victors. At any rate, there is a growing desire for peace, which the combattants realize will, sooner or later, evolve into a demand.

The fact that Berlin is allowing peace talk to reach the outer world is proof conclusive that the German people are tiring of incessant strife, while the dispatches from Paris and London sow that the people of those capitals are much interested in the suggestion towards pacification.

Many woes, aside from those caused by actual carnage, follow in the wake of war. The cries of suffering non-combattants are going up to the God of Sabaoth, and their plaints are sure to enter his ears.

A grim battle against starvation has been in progress for some time in Poland. Children kneeling in the streets and on the sidewalks like statues of praying angels are to be seen in the beautiful city of Warsaw, begging for food.

Passersby are accosted by women and children, who ask for help whether they chance to be in the vicinity of the railroad stations, buildings containing offices of the German military government or upon the leading business thoroughfares.

Grief stricken mothers with babes in their arms begging for food for the little ones throng during the day and evening the various pretentious parts of Warsaw as well as those which are inhabited by the poor.

Not infrequently one meets young women evidently from good homes walking the streets begging for aid for themselves or their elders because they are unable to get work. That distress of the people is severe and general is readily seen by visiting the citizens' kitchens and eating places.

Long rows of hungry men, women and children wait their turns to get inside the doors to obtain soup and other warm food. Some adults show the effects of hunger. Their eyes are bloodshot, their cheeks hollow and their features haggard.

But the little children, of whom there are large numbers in Warsaw suffer most. Because of the lack of milk many children are dying. Many are unable to walk.

Faces of most of the young children are of a dusky or sallow hue, their eyes sunken, their mouths bleeding their gums livid, their teeth dropping out, their faces haggard. It was explained that they were suffering from scurvy. The number of these victims runs into many thousands.

LAYS WAR ON ... HOHENZOLLERNS

To the devil, working through the alleged insane brains of the Hohenzollerns, the Rev. W. A. Crawford-Frost, in his sermon last Sunday morning at St. Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church, Emmorton, near Baltimore, charged the great war in Europe, which, he said, was a contest between their diabolism and civilization. Mr. Crawford-Frost among other things said.

Who is responsible for this struggling of the multitudes? In the ultimate analysis Satan is the author of it. It is not the German people, not the inhabitants of Saxony, Bavaria, Wurtemberg and the other portions of the empire dominated by Prussia. This great calmity has been brought on the world by the devil working through the brains of a succession of insane Hohenzollerns. Frederick William I, King of Prussia, was not only mentally unbalanced, but he hated his son, afterward Frederick the Great, so intensely that on several occasions he almost murdered the boy, By diabolic suggestion acting through his disordered brain, a body of gigantic soldiers was gathered around him.

The devil, not Frederick William was lying the foundation for the future. The poor King, not understanding his own obsession and fighting against it, continued to collect the big soldiers, but refused to let them fight. His son, Frederick the Great, found in his father's army the medium to carry out the suggestions which the devil made to him. He gloried in blasphemy and iniquity.

Coming on down several generations we reach Frederick William IV, who, when he became utterly insane, was in 1857 compelled to abdicate in favor of his brother, afterward William I.

Of the present Emperor, William II, it is not necessary to say anything. His character and acts are well known. Frederick the Great is his ideal, and he has tried to live up to it. He is the product of his heredity and his environment.

Let God judge the Hohenzollern individual, for He alone is qualified to do it; but the world should understand clearly what the issue is that is now being fought out by the multitudes in Europe in the Valley of Decision. It is not militarism. It is a straight issue between God, freedom and civilization on the one hand and the diabolism of the Hohenzollerns and the ruling classes of Prussia on the other hand.

Pope Benedict is expected shortly to voice public condemnation of the recent revolt in Ireland.

BLUNDERS IN IRELAND.

"If, after Lincoln's assassination, Mrs. Surratt's fate had not been left to a military commission, this country would have escaped the mistake of her execution," says the New York World, discussing the recent British blunders in the effort to restore peace to Ireland. Substitute "crime" for "mistake," and the World's estimate of the Surratt assassination by quasi judicial process will admit of no exception.

The Richmond Times-Dispatch in this connection says if the reconstruction of the South after the War Between the States had been left to the army, the Freedmen's Bureau and the carpetbaggers and scalawags, the South never would have been pacified. And yet just such agents have been relied on by England for three centuries to govern Ireland. Of course they have failed. They deserved failure. Premier Asquith has gone to Dublin to stop the executions. It will be a mercy to England, to Ireland, to the allied cause and to civilization if he has arrived in time.

Think of Sir Edward Carson controlling in any degree the policy of Great Britain as to Ireland! It may well be argued, as H. G. Wells does argue in his latest book, that this man must share responsibility for the great war. If Germany had not believed Britain had been rendered impotent by the Ulster rebellion, and, therefore, would not stand with France, it is at least to be doubted that the Kaiser would have precipitated the conflict. Sir Edward Carson was the leading and dominant figure in the treason in Ulster. Leniency to him was one of Britain's greatest mistakes. If the government is looking for a burnt offering, he might serve the purpose well.

OLD DOMINION RAILWAY

Company Will Attempt to Renew Operations Today

Under the protection of injunctions granted in the District and Virginia, the Washington and Old Dominion Railway Company will attempt to resume operations of cars on both of its lines today.

President Colin Livingstone said the Company had employed a number of strike-breakers and many of the strikers had returned to work. He said a modified car service would be given by the company for the next day or two and that full service would be restored by the end of the week.

The injunction granted by Justice McCoy in the District Supreme Court and by Judge Thornton, who presides over the Alexandria, Fairfax and Loudoun county courts restrain the 155 strikers from interfering with the operation of the cars by the company. The injunctions were granted by the two jurists late yesterday afternoon after petitions had been filed by Attorneys Wilton J. Lambert and R. H. Yeatman.

The petitions filed in each court covered fourteen pages in which the history of the trouble between the company and its employes was recited.

It is charged in the petitions that the strikers have combined together to defy the American Federation of Labor, with whom they are affiliated, and have not only already caused damage to the company's equipment, but have attempted to interfere with the placing of men on the cars to operate them. It is also charged that the strikers have interferred with the transportation of United States mails and interstate commerce shipments. The petition also alleges a breach of an arbitration agreement.

The injunctions enjoin the strikers from interfering with the operation of the cars or from using violence or in any way intimidating or influencing men not to run the company's cars.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Snow is nearly 2 feet deep on the level in Deadwood, S. D., as a result of a two-day snowstorm, which ended yesterday.

Henry Albert Carlisle, the 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney A. Carlisle, Aristerstown road near Pleasant Hill, Md., was struck by an automobile and instantly killed in front of his home yesterday afternoon.

By a vote of 295 to 10 the House last night passed its substitute for the Senate rural credits bill, making certain the establishment of a system of farm credits. In general characteristics the House and Senate measure in the final form in which it will be submitted to both Houses will be largely rewritten by the conference committee.

Fearing that death was near—having told his acquaintances for some time past that if he ever thought that death was rapidly approaching he would end it all—Antone Benedikt, 28 years of age, leaped from the second-story window of the house in which he boarded, at 903 North Court street, Baltimore, early yesterday morning and was killed.

Claiming that someone was after his life and that he would be a dead man before another day would pass over his head, John Mox, a Hungarian, who came to this country about 20 years ago, shot himself, in the parlor of his little home on Oriole avenue, near the Eastern avenue road, Baltimore early yesterday morning.

Joe Grant, alias Frederick Brown, a negro taken to Columbia, S. C. from Philadelphia and convicted of murder after the Supreme Court of the United States had rejected his plea that extradition to South Carolina would place him in danger of being lynched, was executed yesterday at the State prison at Columbia. He was convicted of killing a white man.

Evidence was presented to the House of Representatives by Congressman H. D. Flood, of Virginia, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, yesterday showing that during the Spanish-American war Germany supplied arms and ammunition to both the United States and Spain and that neither nation made any remonstrance against such action, except in one instance.

American marines who had been landed on Dominican soil entered Santo Domingo yesterday and took possession of the center of the city. The rebel leaders had withdrawn with their forces Saturday night after being warned by the American Minister, W. W. Russell, that the city would be taken by force unless the rebels evacuated it by Sunday morning. The entry of the American forces was unopposed. The object of the American occupation was to guarantee the free election by congress of a provisional president to succeed Gen. Juan I. Jimines, resigned. Order is being maintained.

An attempt by Chancellor James R. Day, of Syracuse University and other members of the general conference at Saratoga, N. Y. to secure the elimination of the clause which prohibits Methodist church members from playing cards, dancing and theater-going, failed yesterday afternoon, when the committee on the state of the church decided by a vote of 113 to 43 to recommend to the conference the retention of the rule. Notice was immediately given that the leaders for a freer interpretation of the rule would shift their fight to the conference and would submit a minority report.

PEACE TALK IN EUROPE

People of Belligerent Countries Said to be Tired of Bloody Strife

Berlin, May 16—The most notable relaxation of the censorship shown since the war began is now apparent in relation to "peace talk" in the newspapers and in press telegrams being sent outside of Germany.

The general tenor of the peace arguments is that the people of the belligerent countries are tired of the bloody strife and enormous financial drain and are ready to quit if the governments consent.

In Germany the declaration is constantly heard that the German government stands ready and willing to open peace negotiations. The constant reiteration of this statement, it is believed, is having considerable moral effect upon the peoples of the nations at war with Germany. It may eventually weld public opinion so strongly that the governments will be forced to listen to the voice of the public and heed it.

There is a strong disposition in some quarters to regard President Wilson as the logical mediator.

Some newspapers express the opinion that the chance now awaits President Wilson to become one of the great international figures in history by making representations to bring to an end the greatest war in the history of mankind.

Paris, May 16—A strong wave of conciliation is sweeping over the belligerents. At no moment since August, 1914, has there been so much peace talk, never before has the peace talk been so devoid of flambovant language, or so much impregnated by a spirit of moderation. No other conclusion than the foregoing can be drawn from the important diplomatic news from several quarters of Europe published in today's newspapers.

"We believe in the value of negotiations and have faith in the results of international conferences," said Sir Edward Grey in an interview on Saturday.

"We need guarantees of equilibrium and stability," was the new peace formula announced by President Poincare Sunday.

Vatican circles state that the Pope and King Alfonso are working closely together for peace, which is described as "more or less near."

Persistent reports from Holland and Switzerland say that Prince von Buelow's return to office is imminent, and that his role will be that of Germany's peacemaker.

A careful canvass in well-informed quarters in Paris and at the embassy of an important European neutral country records that an optimistic view is taken as to early developments in a pacific direction.

With the reinstatement yesterday of two of the men who were discharged for union affiliation and a general increase of wages in the Washington office from $90 to $100, the threatened strike of the telegraphers in the office of the Western Union Telegraph Company has been averted.

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COLORED BOY BURNED

Victim of Mob Vengeance Confessed to Assault and Murder

Waco, Tex., May 16—With 15,000 persons as witnesses, including women and children, Jesse Washington, a colored boy who confessed to the assaulting and murder of Mrs. Lucy Fryar, seven miles south of here last Monday afternoon, was taken from the Fifth district court room shortly before noon yesterday and burned to death on the public square.

The burning came immediately after the boy's trial had ended. The jury had returned a verdict of guilty giving him the death penalty. Then some one started the cry of "get him." It was quickly taken up by all of those from that part of the county where Mrs. Fryar was killed, and Washington was then seized.

The mob at first seemed willing to hang Washington from the suspension bridge, but a suggestion that he be burned on the plaza met with instant response. He was dragged to the city hall yard, where the chain already around his neck, was thrown around him and the fire started.

After the verdict had been returned Washington said in a half-audible whisper, "I'm sorry I done it."

The rush to secure the prisoner came with such suddenness that officers, lawyers and newspaper men were swept off their feet, and the victim was in the hands of the mob before any one could stop the proceedings.

Later in the day members of the mob returned to the scene of the burning, placing the charred body in a sack and dragged it through the principal streets behind an automobile to Robinson, where Mrs. Fryar was killed, and what remained of it was suspended from a telephone pole there.

DERAILED BY EXPLOSION

Army Paymaster Robbed of Thirty Six Thousand Dollars

Laredo, Tex., May 16—The train attached to which was the private car of Charles A. Douglas, of Washington, was derailed by an explosion near Queretaro last Friday, and the passengers, including a Carranza paymaster, were robbed, according to a report brought here by passengers. They said the private car of Mr. Douglas was not molested.

Among the passengers reported robbed were two army paymasters, who lost $36,000 in the new Carranza currency. A paymaster of the El Oro Mining Company lost $33,000 in the new Carranza currency.

The express car contained 1,000,000 pesos in the new currency, but it was not broken open.

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Daily Except Sundays and Holidays
A. M.—5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20, 7 30, 7 40 7 50, 8 00; 8 10, 8 20, 8 40, 9 00, 9 20, 9 40; 10 00; 10 20, 10 40, 11 00, 11 20, 11 40, Noon 12 00.
P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40; 4 00; 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00; 6 40; 7 00; 7 20, 7 35, 8 00; 8 30; 9 00; 9 30; 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.
Sundays and Holidays, same as above except trains at 5 00, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 10; 7 30; 7 50 and 8 10 A. M. and 11 55 P. M.
Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon.
A. M.—Week Days—6 35, 6 55, 7 55, 8 55, 10 30, 11 30;—P. M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30; 3 30; 4 30; 5 25; 6 40 7 35, 8 55, 10 20; 11 50.
Sundays as above except 6 35 and 7 55 A. M. and 11 50 P. M.

GAZETTE One Week 10c

VIRGINIA NEWS

Officer J. G. Walker arrested Ben Wilkinson, colored in Richmond on a charge of pouring gasoline on and setting fire to Joshua Johnson, a negro, boy. The boy was not badly burned.

Victor Sharitz, a well-known resident of Wytheville, in attempting to alight from a moving automobile, near the Wytheville depot, yesterday morning, was thrown on his head and knocked unconscious. He died in the afternoon.

Two prisoners are dead and another is wounded as a result of a one-man mutiny last night in the State Prison at Nashville, Tenn. Jady Harris, who caused the trouble was shot and killed after he had wounded two other prisoners, one fatally, with a rifle snatched from a guard.

Grayson County's defense of the proposal of its board of review to cut in half the real estate assessments returned by the commissioners of the revenue is held to be untenable by Christopher B. Garnett, executive assistant to the State Tax Board, in a letter addressed by him yesterday to J. G. Davis, chairman of the county's local boar of review.

A cloudburst late Saturday night caused high water in Pittsylvania county, which washed away a mile and a half of the track of the Franklin and Pittsylvania Railway, seven miles west of Gretna. A flouring mill was badly damaged and many head of stock drowned, while hundreds of acres of farmland were inundated. The railway has suspended train service, but is sending the mails over the road by hand cars.

The seventieth annual session of the Great Council of Virginia of Red Men, met today in Lynchburg, with about 200 delegates in attendance. A public session was held this morning at the Hill City Masonic Assembly Hall, at which time Mayor Jester, W. T. Corwith, seretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and F. M. B. Varney, of the local councils, delivered addresses of welcome. The sixth annual session of the Degree of Pocahontas was in session at the same time.

Paris McConnell, 33 years old, recently pardoned from the State prison by Governor Stuart that he might be with his family in his last hours, died yesterday while pleading for his children to be brought to him. The children were wired for, but failed to arrive. McConnell's aged father, W. S. McConnell, of Nickelsville, Scott county, arrived five minutes too late to see his son alive. McConnell was sent to the penitentiary for killing a friend and neighbor named Meade. He declared to the last that he was intoxicated and unconscious of having killed Meade.

F. J. Leigh was killed instantly about noon yesterday in an automobile accident near Lanesville, the vicinity of West Point. He and a party of friends were en route to Lester Manor, where they were to dine in the home of Montague Pilcher. The running-gear got out of order, and the machine, running up on a ditch bank, turned over. The other members of the party jumped and escaped with minor injuries. Mr. Leigh's neck was broken. Mr. Leigh went to West Point several years ago from King and Queen county.

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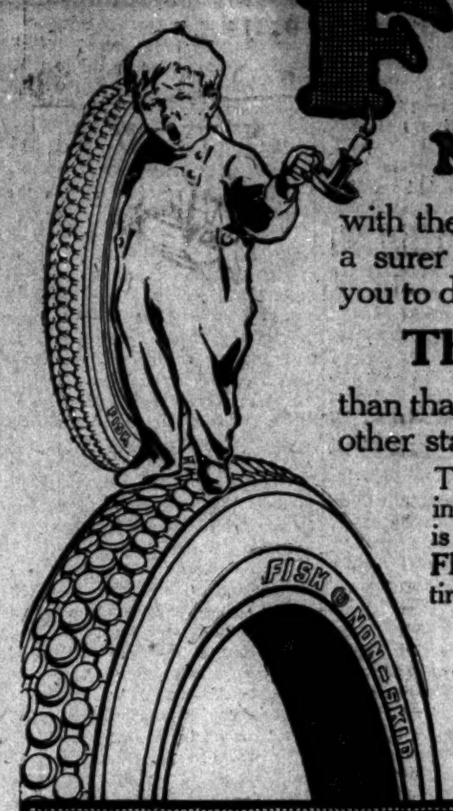

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NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of Virginia. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of J. T. Reeves, Bankrupt.

No. 158 In Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of J. T. Reeves, of Alexandria, in the County of Alexandria, and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 3rd day of May, A. D., 1916, the said J. T. Reeves was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at 107 North Fairfax Street, in the City of Alexandria, on the 23rd day of May, A. D., 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

WALTER U. VARNEY
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Alexandria, Virginia, May 12, 1916.

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By SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer
Commissioner's Sale of Valuable Real Estate

Pursuant to a decree rendered at the September Term, 1915, of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia in the suit therein pending of Rachel A. Derrick etc, against Susie West etc. the undersigned Commissioners of Sale will on SATURDAY, the 20, day of MAY, 1916 at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Market Building, on Royal Street, Alexandria City, Virginia, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, that certain lot or parcel of land, which was conveyed to Jacob Derrick by William H. Gooding and wife by a deed dated December 10th, 1833 and recorded in Liber B. No. 3, page 119 of the deed books of Fairfax County, Virginia, and in said deed described as lying and being in the county of Fairfax, near Spring Garden and adjoining the line of the District of Columbia, containing 94 9-10 poles, and being lot No. 2, in the plat and division made between the daughters of Beal Howard by Robert Ratcliffe, now the city and being in the square bounded by Payne, Fayette, Gibbon and Wilkes Streets extended.

Terms of Sale. One third cash, and the balance in two equal payments at six and twelve months, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the purchaser's interest bearing notes and title to be retained until the said notes have been paid in full.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
JOHN W. RUST,
Commissioners of Sale.

I, F. W. Richardson, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia, do hereby certify that John W. Rust, acting Commissioner of Sale in the said suit has given the bond required in the said suit, with approved surety, conditioned as the law directs.

Given under my hand this the 22, day of October, 1915.

F. W. RICHARDSON,
Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, Va.

By SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer
TRUSTEE'S SALE

The undersigned trustee in a deed from E. S. Leadbeater and Sons, Inc., of record in deed book No. 64, page 1, land record of the City of Alexandria, Va., under an order entered in the proceedings against the said E. S. Leadbeater and Sons, Inc. bankrupt, at the request of the creditor, default having been made in the payment of one of the notes, secured, will at 12 noon on SATURDAY MAY 20th, 1916, offer for sale in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following property: All that lot of ground and improvements thereon in Alexandria, Va., situated on the east side of Lee street, between King and Prince streets, described as follows: Beginning on the east side of Lee street at the south side of an alley, 136 feet south of King street, running thence east with the said south line of said alley 150 feet, thence, south parallel to Lee street 40 feet, thence east parallel to King street, 90 feet more or less, thence south parallel to Lee street, 38 feet 1 3-4 in.. more or less, to north line of Wales Alley, tnence west with north line of said alley 240 feet more or less to Lee street, thence north on Lee street 78 feet 1 3-4 inches, more or less to the point of beginning with the use of said alley and appurtenances. There are, besides other buildings, two large fire proof warehouses on theproperty built according to the laws and specifications of insurance companies.

Terms of Sale: One third of the purchase money cash and the residue thereof in two equal payments at six and twelve months, bearing interest and secured by retention of title or deed of trust on the property.

JOHN M. JOHNSON, Trustee.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer

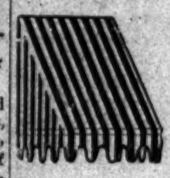
By virtue of a deed of trust made by John T. Nalls and wife, bearing date on the 6th day of March, 1912, and duly of record in the Land Records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No 61, page 554, to the undersigned Trustee of The German Co-Operative Building Association No. 5 of Alexandria Virginia, and by the order of the Board of Directors thereof, default having been made in the payment of the amount secured by the said deed of trust, the said Trustees will offer for sale on SATURDAY, the 20th day of MAY, 1916, at twelve o'clock M., in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in the said City of Alexandria, all those two lots of ground, with the improvements thereon, in the said City of Alexandria, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

First: Beginning on the south side of King Street 19 feet 1 inch east of Alfred Street, and at the east line of Gibson, and running thence east on King Street 15 feet 10 inches; thence south, parallel to Alfred Street, 37 feet 5 inches; thence west parallel to King Street, 15 feet 10 inches to Gibson's line; and thence north, in a direct line, 37 feet 5 inches to the beginning, with all appurtenances, and with the right to use the partition wall between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the east.

Second: Beginning on the south side of Prince Street 96 feet 5 inches east of Henry Street, and running thence south parallel to Henry Street, 88 feet to an alley 16 feet wide; thence west on said alley 24 feet; thence north, in a direct line, 88 feet to Prince Street; and thence east on Prince Street 24 feet to the beginning with the right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

Terms of Sale; Cash. Cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
Trustees.



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CHAS. H. CALLAHAN,
Commissioner of Revenue.

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule in effect March 10, 1916

For Washington and points north daily at 7:33, 8:08, 12:01, 12:16, 12:23, 2:30, (through train for New York, via P. R. R.) 6:16, 8:53, 11:33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22, 3:32, 5:17 (local) 6:57, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accomodation for Fredericksburg at 2:18 p. m. Saturdays and 11:18 a. m. other days of week.

Local from Richmond arrives 6:07 p. m. week days and 8:07 p. m. Sundays.

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